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UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.27**

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Sir:

The Applicants, through their Attorneys, hereby notify the Office that large entity status was appropriate for the above-identified application as of December 10, 2009. Small entity status was maintained erroneously, and without deceptive intent, when the issue fee was paid on July 12, 2010.

The fees that remains outstanding are \$755 for the issue fee paid on July 12, 2010 and \$130 for a processing fee. Please charge the required fees to Marjama Muldoon Blasiak & Sullivan LLP's Deposit Account No. 50-0289 referencing docket no. 1258\_3146US. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge the cost of any other fees due in connection with the filing of this document to Deposit Account No. 50-0289.

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